

## FISH AND SHELLFISH

**14591. Adulteration of frozen fish. U. S. v. 97 Cartons \* \* \* (and 1 other seizure action). (F. D. C. Nos. 25893, 26876. Sample Nos. 2531-K, 46248-K.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** November 3, 1948, and March 18, 1949, Southern District of West Virginia and Eastern District of Missouri.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about October 9 and 18, 1948. A portion was shipped by the Harbor Cove Fisheries, Inc., from Gloucester, Mass., and the remainder was shipped by the Crystal Ice & Cold Storage Co., from Tiverton, R. I., on instructions of Harbor Cove Fisheries, Inc., of Gloucester, Mass.

**PRODUCT:** 97 10-pound cartons of frozen perch fillets at Huntington, W. Va., and 20,000 pounds of frozen H & G whiting at St. Louis, Mo.

**LABEL, IN PART:** (Huntington lot) "Eastern Point Brand Quick Frozen Ocean Perch Fillets Layer Packed."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), a portion of the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of parasites, and the remainder consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed fish.

**DISPOSITION:** November 19, 1948, and April 11, 1949. Default decrees of condemnation. The Huntington lot was delivered to a public institution, for use as hog feed, and the St. Louis lot was ordered sold for use other than for human consumption.

**14592. Adulteration of frozen ciscoes. U. S. v. 14 Boxes, etc. (F. D. C. No. 26657. Sample Nos. 11211-K, 11212-K.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** March 23, 1949, Southern District of New York.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about January 9 and 11, 1949, by Lester Fisher, Marinette, Wis.

**PRODUCT:** 34 50-pound boxes of frozen ciscoes at New York, N. Y.

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of parasitic worms.

**DISPOSITION:** April 11, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

**14593. Adulteration of frozen herring. U. S. v. 1,496 Pounds \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 26097. Sample Nos. 10329-K, 10332-K.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** November 30, 1948, Southern District of New York.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about October 10, 1948, from Plymouth, Mass.

**PRODUCT:** 1,496 pounds of frozen herring at New York, N. Y.

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed fish. The product was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

**DISPOSITION:** March 31, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

**14594. Adulteration of frozen ocean perch fillets. U. S. v. 5 Cartons \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 26552. Sample No. 19817-K.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** February 21, 1949, Eastern District of Tennessee.